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NEWS RELEASE

United States Attorney Michael L. Levy and Philadelphia District Attorney Lynne Abraham today announced the filing of a one count indictment¹ charging Edwin Rios with possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. The indictment alleges that on February 4, 2009, Rios possessed a loaded .375 magnum revolver in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Defendant Edwin Rios faces a maximum sentence of 10 years imprisonment, 3 years supervised release, a \$250,000 fine, and a \$100 special assessment.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	DATE OF BIRTH
Edwin Rios	Philadelphia, PA	1983

This indictment arose out of an investigation conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Philadelphia Police Department. The case is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney James R. Pavlock.

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